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Hon. Gary B. Randall

Judgeship

1998 - present
Judge of the District Court, 4th Judicial District
Douglas County

2003 - Present
Judge of the Douglas County Adult Drug Court

2003 - 2004
Presiding Judge of the District Court, 4th Judicial District
Douglas County

Experience

1983 - 1997
Private practice of law
Omaha, NE

1975 - 1982
Private practice of law
Omaha, NE

Education

Creighton University School of Law, 1974
Juris Doctorate

University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1972
Bachelor of Science

Judicial/Law Related Activities

Professional Affiliations

American Bar Association, 1998 - present

Presidential Appointment:

Commissioner ABA Commission on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity, 2012 - present

Chair Education and Trainer Committee of ABA Commission on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity, 2013

Presidential Appointment:

ABA Presidential Task Force on the Preservation of the Justice System, 2011 - 2013

Communications Committee, 2011 - present

Judicial Outreach Committee, 2012 - present

Liaison to the ABA-Section on Individual Rights and Responsibilities, 2009 - present

Officer Nominating Committee, 2011

Litigation Section, 2010 - present

Tort Trial and Insurance Practice, 2010 - present

Finance & Non-Dues Revenue, 2008 - 2009

Strategic Planning & Communications Committee, 2008 - 2010

Judicial Evaluation Committee

Ad Hoc Committee on the Court System

Court Technology Committee, 1999 - present

Nebraska State Bar Association, 1995 - present

Annual Meeting Committee, chairman, 2002

Annual Meeting Committee, member, 2001 - 2004

Legislative Committee, 1997 - present

Volunteer Lawyers Program, 1995 - 1997

Elder Law Section Officer, 1991 - 1997

Family Law Section, 1991 - 1997

National Association of Metropolitan Courts, 2000 - present

American Inns of Court, William Jennings Bryan Pupilage Group, 1998 - 2005

National Association of Drug Court Professionals, 1998 - present

National Conference of State Trial Judges - ABA Judicial Division

Immediate Past Chair, 2010 - 2011

Chair, 2009 - 2010

Chair-elect, 2008 - 2009

Vice-chair, 2007 - 2008
Secretary, 2006 - 2007
Member, 1998 - present

Nebraska Supreme Court Committees

Minority & Justice Committee, 2014
Commission on Children in the Courts, Co-Chair: Subcommittee Parenting Act, 2014 - present
JUSTICE District Court Automation Committee, 2012 - present
Pilot Participant for JUSTICE District Court E-Sign
Pilot Participant for E-Protection Orders
Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution - Parenting Act Study Committee 2011 - present
Nebraska Courts Re-Engineering Committee 2010 - present
Ad Hoc Committee on Mental Health in Courts, 2008 - present
Committee on Problem-Solving Courts, 2008 - present
Committee on Practice and Procedure, 2003 - present
Sub-committee on Strategic Planning in Technology, chair, 2004 - present
Technology Committee, 1999 - present

Nebraska District Judges Association

Chair Legislative Committee, 2009 - present
Officer, 2002 - 2004
Member, 1998 - present

Community Activities

National Moot Court Finals Judge, 2014
Judge with Creighton Law School Appellate Arguments class, 2012 - present
Nebraska High School Mock Trial Judge
Volunteer Speaker at High Schools, Colleges, and Law Schools
Boy Scouts of America, 1960 - 1966
Eagle Scout - Awarded 1966
March of Dimes Midwest Chapter Volunteer, 1976 - 1991
North Central Regional Representative of March of Dimes National Council of Volunteers, 1989 - 1991
Alzheimer's Association, 1991 - 1998
Midlands Chapter volunteer and member of the Board of Directors
National Public Policy Chairmant, 1994 - 1995

Honors and Awards

Distinguished Judge for Improvement of the Judicial System:
Given to a judge who has distinguished himself or herself through contributions to the improvement of the judicial system; service as a trial judge; or promotion of judicial efficiency. 2014

Nebraska State Bar Foundation Fellow:

Selection to become a Fellow in the Nebraska State Bar Foundation is based on the integrity

and character of the lawyer/judge. The Foundation recognizes established legal professionals who are dedicated to improving the administration of justice. Fellows are accredited by colleagues as leaders of the legal profession who contribute to the charitable and community education works of Foundation.

Key to the City of Omaha, recognition for service on the Charter Review Commission

Robert M. Spire Pro Bono Service Award, presented by the Nebraska Bar Association for pro bono service to the poor and non-profit entities, 1994

United Way of the Midlands Volunteer of the Year Award, recognition for pro bono legal services for the community

Teaching & Publishing

Speaker, Nebraska Parenting Act, Fall Judges Meeting 2014

Speaker, "MAT - A View From the Bench", Promoting Tools for Successful REcovery Regional Symposium, 2014

Panelist, NSBA Family Law Seminar: "Joint Custody: The Good, The Bad and the Ugly", 2014
Convener and faculty member of Great Plains Justice Leaders Symposium for Change in the Criminal Justice System, 2013

Presenter, ABA Annual Meeting, "Apps for Judges: Introducing the Best Tools, Spotting the Ethical Issues, and Empowering the Courts for the Next Level of Productivity and Service", 2013

Presenter, Association of Family and Conciliation Courts "Evaluating Complex Parenting Legislation: Lessons from Nebraska's Parenting Act", 2012

Presenter, American Conference Institute "Social Media and The Courts", 2011

Speaker, Presiding Judges Symposium: Enhancing Court System Efficiencies through Emerging Addiction Science, 2011

Presenter, ABA Annual Meeting, NSBA Annual Meeting, and Alaska Bar Association Annual Meeting: "Social Media for Judges", 2010

Volunteer speaker, high school law classes

Presenter, "The Twenty First Century Judge: Challenge for the Future, Developing a Collaborative Court," American Bar Association Meeting, 2008

Presenter, "Cameras in the Courtroom," Nebraska Supreme Court, 2008

Presenter, "Updates in Nebraska Law," Nebraska District Court Judges Association Summer Meeting, 2003 & 2007

Speaker, "Navigating the Roles and Responsibilities of the National Conference of State Trial Judges, American Bar Association Mid-Year Meeting, 2004

Instructor, "Social Work in the Law," University of Nebraska-Omaha, 2003 & 2004

Speaker, "Use of Web Board in Association Communication," American Bar Association Annual Meeting, 2003

Speaker, "Substance Abuse and Domestic Relations," American Bar Association Family Courts Meeting, 1998

Presenter, "Housing for the Elderly and Americans with Disabilities Act," White House Conference on Aging, 1995

Speaker, "Advanced Directives in Nebraska," Nebraska Bar Association Annual Meeting, 1994
